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FEAST RITES GIVEN

St. Augustine's Catholic Church Has Observance.

OTHER PARISHES PARTICIPATE

Eloquent Sermon Preached by Mgr. Starr, Rector of Corpus Christi, of Baltimore—House of Worship Is Elaborately Decorated with Lighted Tapers and Beautiful Blossoms.

Lighted tapers and crimson and white blossoms decorated the high altar at St. Augustine's Church yesterday morning for the solemn celebration of the patronal feast of the church—the Feast of St. Augustine, Bishop of Hippo—which falls on August 28 and is always observed at this church on the Sunday following.

It was the first of the big functions of the coming season in Catholic Church circles, and it was well attended by persons from a number of other parishes.

Solemn high mass was sung by Rev. James J. O'Connor, assistant pastor of St. Augustine's Church, with Rev. Eugene Connelly, assistant pastor of the Immaculate Conception, deacon, and Rev. William J. Carroll, assistant pastor of St. Patrick's Church, subdeacon.

Mgr. William E. Starr, rector of Corpus Christi Church, Baltimore, preached the sermon, which was a little out of the beaten track for such occasions. He prefaced his sermon by saying that the life of their patron saint was to them an oft-told tale; that they had heard many times of how he had lived in the early days of Christianity, his father being a pagan, giving him no example of virtue that he could follow, and how his evil companions and associations had drawn him down to a life of profligacy; they had also heard how he had been followed by the prayers of his Christian mother until he yielded to the eloquence of the great St. Ambrose, and from the time of his conversion lived a life of the closest union with God.

"He was the first great systematic theologian of the church—the first that gave theology the character of a science, and I will speak to you on a subject that grows out of this brief consideration of your patron saint," said the speaker.

Mgr. Starr took up the doctrine of the invocation of the saints, why the church honors the saints, and the possibility of their hearing and answering prayers, which he treated in a simple, direct, and logical way.

Liberal Quotations.

He also quoted liberally from both the old and the new testament in support of the doctrine, as taught by the Catholic Church, and closed by urging his hearers to appeal to their patron saint in all the trials and crises of their lives.

A special programme of music was sung by the choir, under the direction of Anton Kasper, well-known violinist. Selections included the Kyrie, Sanctus, and Benedictus, Haydn's Third Mass; Gloria, Credo, and "Agnus Dei" from Haydn's Second Mass; "Veni Creator," by Wiegand, and offertory, "Ave Maria," by Arcadelt.

After the mass, the Salutaris was followed by the choir, singing a chorus adapted from the Good Friday music in Wagner's "Parsifal," and the "Tantum Ergo" was a composition by Father Verduessen. While the congregation was dispersing the choir sang Gounod's "Praise ye the Father."

Special mention should be made of the work of the choir. In the "Ave Maria," by Arcadelt, which was sung without accompaniment, the choir's tone quality was especially evident, particularly in the pianissimo passages. At the conclusion of the ceremonies, Rev. Father Griffith entertained the visiting clergy at dinner in the rectory. The guests included Mgr. Starr, of Baltimore; Mgr. James F. Mackin, of St. Paul's Church; Rev. Thomas E. McGuigan, of Rev. W. J. Carroll, of St. Patrick's; Rev. Eugene Connelly, of the Immaculate Conception; Rev. Charles M. Bart, of St. Theresa's, and Rev. J. R. Mathews, of St. Cyrian's Church.

CHAPLAIN BROWN PREACHES.

Army Chaplain Brown, United States Engineer Corps, spoke at the afternoon service at Mount St. Alban's Church, yesterday. The divine preached on the eternity of life. "He that hath the Son hath life, and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life."

"Christianity," said Chaplain Brown, "is the science of life. It has been since the world began. Christ, though not making His appearance in the world until 2,000 years ago, has in reality had a paramount influence since creation. A feeling of emulation has characterized all the actions of man, in his knowledge of a coming Messiah."

"How is it possible to have eternal life?" continued the chaplain. "The essential qualification is love. A man knows whether or not he is in faith with God's teaching—whether he really believes in a Supreme Being. He knows, if his brother does not, whether he is at enmity with him. Thus, if a man desires to test himself regarding this fundamental quality, he has merely to consider his feelings, one way or the other."

PLACES OF INTEREST.

Library of Congress—Open 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. on regular days; from 2 p. m. to 10 p. m. on Sundays and on certain holidays.

Public Library—Open 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; holidays, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; Sundays, 2 p. m. to 9 p. m.

White House—Open 10 a. m. to 12 p. m.

United States Capitol—Open 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

State, War, and Navy Departments—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

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FUNERAL OF J. W. BOTELER.

Services Will Be Held To-day for Retired China Dealer.

Funeral services for John Wesley Boteler, for seventy-eight years a resident of this city and a prominent merchant, who died Saturday morning, will be held at the residence, 1344 Riggs street northwest, this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. J. R. Bicknell, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, will officiate. Interment will be in the family vault at Glenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Boteler's father established a china and glassware business in this city in 1820. He succeeded his father as head of the establishment in 1866, retiring from active business in 1888. John W. Boteler furnished china and glassware to the White House from President Buchanan's administration to the administration of President Cleveland, including the famous \$20,000 have been used. Executive Mansion during the administration of President Hayes.

Mr. Boteler had been a member of the Masonic order since 1855, and was also a member of a Washington Commandery, Knights Templars. He is survived by his wife and two sons—Frank M. Boteler and J. Allen Boteler.

CARS MAY PENETRATE CITY

Probable Result of Electrification of Beach Line.

Railway May Also Be Extended Through Rich Garden Track Country for Thirty Miles.

The conference between William F. J. Jones, of Denver, president of the Chesapeake Beach Railway, and the engineers and capitalists interested in that road, held last week in New York City, has terminated for the time being, and President Jones and Engineer Henry L. Doherty are on their way to Denver.

While nothing as to the result of the conference, which had for its purpose the consideration of the proposed change of the Chesapeake Beach Railway from a single track steam line to a double track electric road, it is believed some definite plans have been made whereby the electric cars will penetrate the heart of the city, transporting passengers without change by fifteen-minute trains over the forty miles to Chesapeake Beach.

President Jones stated before leaving for Denver that in all probability other conferences in future would be held in the near future in Denver, New York, and later in Washington.

The plan of electrifying the Chesapeake Beach Railway carries with it the additional significance of opening up a new territory thirty miles long, bordering Chesapeake Bay, through a rich garden track country not enjoying the benefits of a railway system, and giving to Washington another rail connection with Baltimore by fast travel. Thirty miles of this railroad has been graded, and is practically ready for the ties and rails. This extension of the system would cause the additional expenditure of probably \$500,000 over and above the half-million dollars that would be required to electrify the system between Washington and Chesapeake Beach.

It is believed that David Moffat, the millionaire banker and railroad magnate at Denver, the principal owner of the Chesapeake Beach Railway, will himself finance this big project, and that the Pennsylvania system will have nothing to do with it.

INCREASE IN SHIPMENTS.

Largest Total Recorded in History of the Lake Trade.

According to a report of the Bureau of Statistics the total shipments in July in the domestic trade from all lake ports—12,338,550 net tons—were the largest monthly total shipments recorded during the history of the lake trade, exceeding the July, 1908, total by more than 1,000,000 net tons, and a half million net tons, and those of July, 1907, by one and a half million net tons.

Of the total iron ore shipments for the month, 4,200,000 net tons, or 33.3 per cent, is credited to the ports of Duluth and Superior, while more than 23 per cent of the total is reported to have been shipped from these two harbors.

The shipment of soft coal for the month—2,183,667 net tons—fell considerably below the July, 1908, figures, large decreases appearing in the figures for Cleveland, Lorain, and Toledo.

The season shipments of wheat were 11,129,729 bushels, compared with 14,744,221 bushels shipped during the corresponding period in 1908. The four shipments for the month—6,742 net tons—mainly from Duluth, Superior, Milwaukee, Chicago, and Gladstone, were comparatively lower during July, 1908. The lumber shipments continued heavy.

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